AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 16, as follows:

According to the invention, a transceiver comprises a conductor foil carrying an optoelectronic component, and a plug socket into which an optical waveguide plug connector can be inserted such that the optical waveguide of the optical waveguide plug connector is opposite the opto-electronic component. [[An]] A plug section is formed by an end section of the conductor foil and is adapted to be connected with a complementary plug. The signal path from said plug section to said opto-electronic component has a matched impedance. This

allows particularly high signal transmission rates. This is supported by the signal path in the

conductor foil being provided only on one side thereof, i.e., without vias from one side to the

other.

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